

The Cheapest House in Town!

FOR ALL KINDS OF

Staple and Fancy

GROCERIES,

Hardware, Queensware, Stoves, Tinware,
Harness, Saddlery, Hay, Corn, Bran,
Lime, Cement, Barbed Wire, &c.

See me before buying elsewhere, I can save you money!

W. S. ELLISON,
The Cash Dealer.

LOOK AT THIS!

20 Lbs. Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
20 Lbs. Fancy Clarified Sugar	1.00
5 Lbs. Green Coffee	1.00
1 Package Java Blend Coffee	1.00
Arbitrator Flour (the best patent)	3.75
Worlds Fair Flour (Extra Fancy)	3.25
10 Lbs. Star Flour (Family)	2.75
10 Lbs. Buckwheat Flour	2.50
A Good Set Baggy Harness	6.00
A Good Flat Saddle	3.00
A Double Girth Morgan Saddle	6.00
A Heavy Grade Saddle	7.50

For Cash only.

Alfred McDaniel.

Railroad Time Table.

N. O. & St. L. R. R.

Train No. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

This road makes close connection with the N. O. & St. L. R. R. at Paducah Junction going north and the Southern steam navigation going south.

—Our neighbor over the river, Mississippi county, Mo., shipped the first lot of new wheat into St. Louis this season. It was auctioned off and brought 66c per bushel.

—Hob Buck wants the public to know that he repairs the watches at a reasonable price, and guarantees his work. Gives all work his personal supervision.

—From parties who have just returned from Madrid Road, we learn that the prospects were never better for a big corn crop, but that the wheat will fall a little short of an average crop.

—T. Layton and wife, of Indianapolis, Ind., accompanied by Miss C. E. Wilson, of Hickman, Ky., are among the new arrivals at the Martinsville Sanitarium. Daily Reporter, Martinsville, Ind.

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No such
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Before
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WE have decided to close out our Shoe Department, and have made prices on our entire Stock to move them.

Notice the
Reduction on Slippers.

Ladies Fine Dongola Oxfords, Patent Tips, regular price \$1.25.
REDUCED TO 98c.

Ladies Russel Dongola Oxfords, a splendid Slipper, regular price \$1.25.
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Ladies Fine Dongola Oxfords, regular prices \$2.50, \$2.25 and \$2.00. Our finest Slippers.
REDUCED TO ACTUAL COST.

Misses Dongola Oxfords, Patent Tips, Heels and Spring Heels, size 12 to 2, regular prices \$1.10, \$1.50 and \$1.75.
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Misses 90c and \$1.00 Slippers now 66c; Childs Red Oxfords reduced from \$1.25 to 75c.

Childs Russel and Black Oxfords, sizes 8 to 10, reduced from \$1.00 to 75c. Same in sizes 5 to 7 reduced from 75c to 60c.

Smith, Ellison & Co.

Wonders Never Cease!

NO DOUBT YOU HAD SUPPOSED THE PRICES ON

Furniture, Carpets,

and GENERAL HOUSEHOLD GOODS had reached rock bottom. But not so. We have some wonderfully LOW PRICES in store for you, the like of which you have never seen. They are truly wonders. We here mention a few:

Bed Room Sets, Antique Parlor Suits, Oak or Walnut
Oak, 24x30 Bev. Glass Silk Plush, \$27.50
\$17.00.

Oak Sideboards, 14x30 French Bev. Plate Glass, \$15.00.

STEPHENS & TYLER.

CHAS. E. BERRY,

THE HICKMAN JEWELER.

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Complicated Watch Repairing a Specialty!

BUCKNER'S OLD STAND,

One door East of Laclede Hotel Hickman, Ky.

THE OLD RELIABLE
MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,
Of Newark, New Jersey.

TOTAL ASSETS Jan. 1st, 1901, \$24,246,002.92

PAID POLICY HOLDERS since organization \$14,326,328.77

LOSSES PAID IN FULTON COUNTY \$200,000.00

Distributed among 38 Policy holders. The following is a partial list:

Samuel Landrum	\$10,000	Edmund W. Stephens	\$10,000
Joseph W. Jones	10,000	Maximilian Herwick	5,000
James W. Jones	5,000	Robert Herwick	5,000
Samuel E. Jones	5,000	John C. Gardner	5,000
Henry D. Robinson	5,000	William B. Raper	5,000
John H. Tyler	5,000	John H. Winston	5,000
John H. Tyler	5,000	George W. Morris	5,000
Frederick G. Hines	5,000	John H. Robinson (widower)	5,000
John H. Atterberry	5,000	John A. Wilson	5,000

After second year no restriction as to residence or occupation.

No combination or loss of Dividends on case of lapse.

Cash loans made up to one half of the reserve.

Yearly Distribution of Dividends.

The above features make a Policy in this Company the most Desirable, the Safest and the Best.

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Office at WILSON'S BOOK STORE, HICKMAN, KY.

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—I keep constantly on hand a large stock of Doors, Sash, Blinds, Paints, Oils and Hardware for building. All sold at rock-bottom prices.

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—Our talented young friend, Mr. B. T. Davis, was billed for a speech at Fulton Saturday last setting forth the principles of Old Fellowship, but as that order declined to take any part in the exercises he respectfully declined to carry out his part. We doubt not that he would have pleased the audience and reflected credit upon that noble order.

—Something New.

A new lot of Mens and Boys light and medium weight COATS and VESTS in long and short Styles. At the extreme low price that I offer them they will sell fast. Call and see them.

G. S. H. H. C. AMBERG.

—As an evidence of the successful management of The Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York, and of its superiority over all other companies, we submit the following facts and figures:

This Company has paid in Cash to living members for surrendered policies 103 Millions of Dollars—33 per cent. of the amount paid by all the companies, and three times as much as that paid by any other company. It has paid in cash dividends to living members \$2 Millions—22 per cent. of the amount paid by all the companies, and double that paid by any other company. Total payments to Policy-holders and Beneficiaries nearly 300 Millions—nearly double that of any other company. It now holds over 185 Millions invested for Policy-holders, and its increase in surplus in 1893 was more than that of all the other companies combined, making it nearly 18 Millions.

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